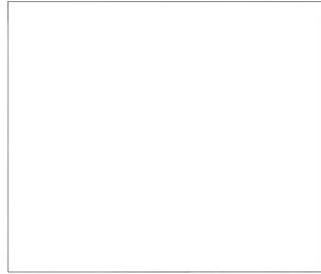


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1. Chief of security at Constanta is Commandant Fmu Mararian. Actively collaborating with him in his work there is Captain Dikran Babolian.
2. Security services in Galati are under Colonel Fmu Babai, with Captain Milica Adam, a former Romanian railroad worker, as his adjutant.
3. Security services in Tulcea have headquarters at 37 Strada Mahmudieh. The officer in charge is Commandant Fmu Paul. He is a former army NCO, recently promoted.
4. There is a security brigade at Timisoara, commanded by Lt. Col. Ioan Mocanu.
5. At the head of all this is the supreme "security" organization of police, for the entire country. This is the Romanian organization corresponding to the Soviet MVD. It includes Central Security and Regional Security. The security organization has special prisons. These are usually in the basements of the buildings occupied by each detachment. It is usual to leave prisoners here for two or three days almost entirely without food, when confessions are desired. These prisoners get only a bit of bread with some "soup" (greasy water) at noon. In the evening they get only the soup. They are beaten with a rubber rod, which causes pain and produces swellings but, after a few days, leaves no trace whatever on the body.

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